

IN THE DRAWINGS

The attached sheet of drawings includes changes to Fig. 2. This sheet, which includes Fig. 2, replaces the original sheet including Fig. 2.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Favorable reconsideration of this application in light of the previous amendment and following discussion is respectfully requested.

Claims 10-19 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, Figure 2 is replaced with a new Figure 2 and Claims 10 and 15 are amended. Support for new Figure 2 can be found in original Claim 1 and original Figure 2. Support for the amendments to Claims 10 and 15 can be found in Figures 1 and 2 as demonstrated by Figures A and B attached. No new matter is introduced.

Applicant appreciates the courtesies extended to Applicant's representative during the October 17 telephone interview. The substance of the discussions held are incorporated into the previous amendment and following remarks and constitute Applicant's record of the interview.

The Office Action rejects Claims 10-19 under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph. This rejection is respectfully traversed.

The Office Action asserts that it is unclear how three planar surfaces are representative of a curved surface. Applicant notes that Claim 10 is directed to a resting member including a curved surface. Claim 10 does not recite a planar surface. Support for the curved surface of Claim 10 can be found in original Figure 2 and original Claim 1.

The Office Action asserts that the recitation of a length of the curved surface being within an arc at the curved surface is new matter. As shown in attached Figure A, the curved surface of a resting member is within an arc of 16-22 degrees of a 360° circle. This feature is disclosed in original Figure 2 and thus does not constitute new matter.

The Office Action asserts that the recitation of the supporting member contacting the curved surface along substantially the entire length of the arc as recited in Claim 14 represents new matter. This assertion is respectfully traversed. As shown in Figure 2,

supporting member 1 contacts the resting member 3 along substantially the entire length of the resting member.

The Office Action asserts that the recitation of a distance from the first end of the first planar surface to the second end of the third planar surface being located within an arc as recited in Claim 15 represents new matter. As shown in Figure B, the length of the planar surfaces exists within an arc of 16-22 degrees.

The Office Action asserts that the recitation of the supporting member contacting the first and third planar surfaces along substantially the entire length as recited in Claim 18 represents new matter. This assertion is respectfully traversed. As shown in Figure 1, support member 1 contacts the first planar surface and the third planar surface along substantially their entire length and the second planar surface along its entire length.

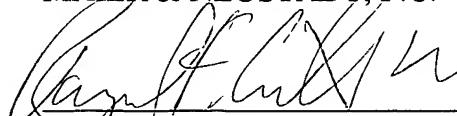
The Office Action objects to the drawings. In particular, the Office Action asserts that a length of the curved surface being within an arc of the curved surface, the supporting member contacting the curved surface along substantially the entire length of the arc, the distance from the first end of the first planar surface to the second end of the third planar surface being located within an arc and the supporting member contacting the first and third planar surfaces along substantially their length are not disclosed. This assertion is respectfully traversed.

As discussed above and as shown in Figures 1 and 2 and attached Figures A and B, each of these features is disclosed. Withdrawal of the objection to the drawings is respectfully requested.

As no further issues are believed to remain outstanding in the present application, it is believed that this application is in condition for formal allowance and an early and favorable action to that effect is therefor respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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